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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS : Jose Manuel LÓPEZ NIETO *et al*
SERIAL NO. : 10/759,384
FILED : January 16, 2004
FOR : A CATALYST FOR SELECTIVE OXIDATION AND
AMOXIDATION OF ALKANES AND/OR ALKENES,
PARTICULARLY IN PROCESSES FOR OBTAINING
ACRYLIC ACID, ACRYLONITRILE AND THE
DERIVATIVES THEREOF

PETITION FOR GRANT OF PRIORITY UNDER 35 USC 119

Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

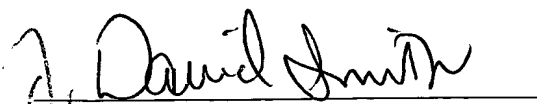
Applicant hereby petitions for grant of priority of the present Application on the basis of the following prior filed foreign Application:

<u>COUNTRY</u>	<u>SERIAL NO.</u>	<u>FILING DATE</u>
Spain	200101756	July 17, 2001

To perfect Applicant's claim to priority, a certified copy of the above listed prior filed Application is enclosed.

Acknowledgment of Applicant's perfection of claim to priority is accordingly requested.

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